

**NORTH CAROLINA EDUCATION LOTTERY
Retailer Self-Certification of Compliance
With the Americans with Disabilities Act**

Title III of the Americans with Disabilities (ADA) requires public accommodations to provide goods and services to people with disabilities on an equal basis with the rest of the general public. **In order to be considered as a North Carolina Education Lottery (NCEL) retailer you must complete this form for each store location:**

Please Print or Type:

Business Name: _____

Contact Person: _____

Site Address: _____

City, State and Zip _____

Phone: _____

Guidance

New Buildings: If your facility was designed and constructed for first occupancy after January 26, 1993, your facility must comply with the ADA Accessibility Guidelines for building and facilities – Appendix A to Part 36 of the Code of Federal Regulations.

Old Buildings: If your building was designed and constructed for first occupancy before January 26, 1993, you should remove architectural and communication barriers where such removal is readily achievable. "Readily achievable" means easily accomplishable and able to be carried out without much difficulty or expense.

In determining which barriers should be removed first, you should consider the following priorities:

1) Take measures to provide access to the facility from public sidewalks, parking or public transportation. These measures include, for example, installing an entrance ramp, widening entrances, and providing accessible parking spaces; 2) Take measures to provide access to NCEL goods and services.

When a retailer can demonstrate that a barrier removal in its facility is not readily achievable, you must make North Carolina Education Lottery products available through alternative methods, if those methods are readily achievable. Such alternatives may include providing curb service and/or relocating activities to accessible locations.

The obligations to perform readily achievable barriers removal is a continuing one. If removal is not currently readily achievable, but becomes so in the future, it must be done then.

If alterations to facilities have been performed since January 26, 1992, the alterations must be readily accessible to and usable by individuals with disabilities. Alterations include but are not limited to remodeling, renovation, rehabilitation, reconstruction, historic restoration, changes or rearrangement in structural parts or elements and changes or arrangement in the planned configuration of walls and full-height partitions.

RETAILER ADA SELF-CERTIFICATION

I understand that failure to ensure that my facility is in compliance with Title III of the Americans with Disabilities Act may jeopardize my eligibility as a North Carolina Education Lottery Retailer. I certify that I have inspected my premises and that my facility is in compliance with Title III of the Americans with Disabilities Act.

Owner Name: _____
Print or Type Name

Authorized Agent: _____
Signature

Date